

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: **TARGETED GENE DELIVERY TO NON-PHAGOCYtic MAMMALIAN CELLS
VIA BACTERIALLY DERIVED INTACT MINICELLS**

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.56

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Applicant submits the accompanying Form PTO/SB/08, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56. Listed documents G2 and G3 (copies provided) are actions issued in a co-pending application that is related to the present application under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

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The listed documents are submitted in compliance with 37 CFR §1.97(c), before the mailing date of any of a final action under 37 CFR §1.113, a notice of allowance under 37 CFR §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application.

RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT

All of the documents are in English.

Applicant requests that the examiner consider and make of record each listed document, and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

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Respectfully submitted,

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